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TO: SACHI A. HAMAI
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Attention: Agenda Preparation

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RE: **Sandra Siedenburg v. County of Los Angeles, et al.**
Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC 377 895

Attached is the Agenda entry for the Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation regarding the above-referenced matter.

It is requested that this recommendation be placed on the Board of Supervisors' agenda for December 16, 2008.

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Attachment

Board Agenda

MISCELLANEOUS COMMUNICATIONS

Los Angeles County Claims Board's recommendation: Authorize settlement of the matter entitled Sandra Siedenburg v. County of Los Angeles, et al., Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC 377 895, in the amount of \$148,000, and instruct the Auditor-Controller to draw a warrant to implement this settlement from the Department of Public Social Services' budget.

This lawsuit concerns allegations that an employee of the Department of Public Social Services was subjected to retaliation for her whistle-blower activities.